

CHARITON COURIER

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KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI

THE magazine, "How to Make Money" has failed. We knew that was one way to make money, but are looking for a better way.

JUDGE SWAYNE'S impeachment trial is progressing slowly, but it is hoped that this pervert of justice will get all that is coming to him before it is over.

REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER of Pennsylvania is afraid the Japs will take the Philippines from us. Many others are afraid we will have to put a premium on them to shove them off.

HON. BURT ADAMS, congressman from Pennsylvania, has been in a very ugly mood since congress refused to allow him to present the District of Columbia with a whipping-post.

CHARLES KRATZ was found not guilty of bribery in the St. Louis suburban street railway deal at an early hour Friday morning in the circuit court of Bates county, Mo., where his case was taken on change of venue from St. Louis. The jury deliberated 1 hour and 35 minutes. Kratz wept when the verdict was read. Then Kratz' wife threw her arms around his neck and kissed him. Kratz' old mother also flew to his side as soon as the words "not guilty" were read and enthusiastically kissed him. "I am glad," were the only words Kratz would utter.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Seeds.

We have on hand a supply of clover, timothy and rape seeds.
L. B. THRASH.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
County of Chariton.
In the Circuit Court of Chariton County, Missouri, May term A. D. 1905.
William A. Colson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Emma A. Dickson and W. G. Dickson, her husband; Mary E. Bowlin and James R. Bowlin, her husband; Nancy E. Greens and R. A. Greens, her husband; Fannie E. Richardson and Walter Richardson, her husband; James E. Colson and William E. Colson, Jr.

Now on this 1st day of March, A. D. 1905, comes plaintiff herein, by his attorney, J. A. Collet, and files his petition alleging, among other things, that defendants, Mary E. Bowlin and James R. Bowlin, her husband, and James E. Colson, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them in this State; whereupon it is ordered by the Clerk of this Court (in vacation) that said non-resident defendants be notified that plaintiff has commenced a suit against them in this Court, the object and nature of which is to ascertain and determine by the judgment and decree of this Court the title, estate and interest of plaintiff and defendants in and to the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-one (21), township fifty-two (52), range eighteen (18), Chariton County, Missouri; and to decree and vest in plaintiff absolute title to said lands, subject only to the outstanding debt interest of Alfredda Colson, widow of Thomas A. Colson, deceased, now held by defendants, Emma A. Dickson, Nancy E. Greens and William E. Colson, Jr. and by judgment and decree of this Court cancel and annul the following deeds, to-wit: Deed, executed by B. B. Davis, sheriff and acting trustee, conveying said lands to James Cuddy, which deed is dated May 22nd, 1879, and recorded in deed book 21 at page 21 of deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed from James Cuddy and Jane V. Cuddy, his wife, dated October 27th, 1879, conveying said lands to Martha E. Colson, which deed is recorded in deed book 22 at page 116 of the deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed, executed by Martha E. Colson, dated May 3rd, 1880, conveying said lands to William E. Colson, which deed is recorded in deed book 31 at page 114 of the deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed, executed by Fannie E. Richardson and Walter Richardson, her husband, dated August 13th, 1885, conveying said lands to Emma A. Maddox, which deed is recorded in deed book 41 at page 455 of the deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed, executed by Mary E. Bowlin and James R. Bowlin, her husband, dated May 7th, 1890, conveying said lands to Emma A. Maddox, which deed is recorded in deed book 65 at page 116 of deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed from James E. Colson, executed December 13th, 1890, conveying said lands to Emma A. Maddox, which deed is recorded in deed book 96 at page 438 of the deed records of Chariton County, Missouri; also deed, executed by Horace E. Colson, dated July 9th, 1900, conveying said lands to Emma A. Maddox, which deed is recorded in deed book 70 at page 121 of deed records of Chariton County, Missouri.
It is, therefore, ordered that unless said above named defendants be and appear at this Court at the next regular term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Courthouse in the City of Keytesville in the said County of Chariton and State of Missouri, on Monday, the first day of May, 1905, and answer or plead to the petition in said cause the same will be taken as confessed and judgment will be rendered accordingly. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the CHARITON COURIER, a weekly newspaper published in Chariton County, Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of May, 1905, term of this Court.

Z. T. LAMKIN,
Circuit Clerk.

A true copy from the records.
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of said Circuit Court, at office in Keytesville, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1905.
Z. T. LAMKIN,
Circuit Clerk.

A Successful Hog Sale.

C. N. Butts of Knoxville, Ill., who owns a fine farm about half way between Keytesville and Salisbury and which is known as the old Hereford place, was in Keytesville Monday looking after his interests in this vicinity. Mr. Butts was accompanied by his friend and neighbor, Wayne Harris, who is also a good citizen and enterprising farmer of Illinois. The COURIER acknowledges the receipt of a pleasant call from the gentlemen.

Mr. Butts handed us the following account of a successful Illinois hog sale, which was recently published in a local newspaper and which we take pleasure in reproducing:

The sale of Poland-China brood sows at the Jamison farm, near Oneida, was one of the best ever held in this state. There was, according to the auctioneers present, the best attendance of Poland-China breeders ever at one sale in the state. They came from a large section of the country and several states were represented. The auctioneers were H. O. Correll of Taylorville and D. P. McCrackin. The total number of hogs sold was 58 and the total sales aggregated \$7,800, an average of \$135 a hog. The highest sum paid for any hog was \$535 for "She's a Honey." "Model Protection" brought \$410. The lowest price was \$45 for a brood sow. Most of the animals brought high figures. Mr. Correll was enthusiastic over the results of the sales and said that the hogs were the best lot he had seen.

Seven to One.

C. P. Vandiver, editor of the Keytesville COURIER, was rounding up a few new subscribers in Mendon last Friday, probably to offset Mr. Bartee's subscription. He made us an appreciated call.—Mendon Constitution.

Right you are, brother. You have never told us why Mr. Bartee discontinued his subscription to the COURIER, and we really don't care to know. On your say so and the additional information of the postmaster at Mendon, who informed us that Mr. Bartee was not taking the COURIER from the post-office, his name was stricken from our list. We presume Mr. Bartee knows his own mind. If he don't want the COURIER we don't want him to take it. If he prefers to engage in the foolish occupation of selling postholes to being a subscriber to the Great Favorite Weekly, we have no objection. Such is Mr. Bartee's privilege as this is a free country. We, however, have always made it a point that where we lost one subscriber to hustle all the harder for more to take his place, and while we were in Mendon recently we added seven new subscribers to our subscription list to fill the vacuum caused by Mr. Bartee's dropping out. We didn't exactly get 16 to 1, but 7 to 1 is entirely satisfactory.

G. W. Cundiff was tried in the police court at Macon, found guilty and fined \$3 and costs for failing to shovel the snow off of the sidewalk in front of his premises. The defendant took an appeal to the circuit court. It is hardly necessary to add that "the beautiful snow" is not "beautiful" to Mr. Cundiff.

It now seems as if the electric railway between Moberly and Huntsville will be built. Messrs. Clark and Rumsey, representing the company, have purchased the ground belonging to Dr. T. A. Cottingham and George Sparks paying \$4,200 therefor. The site will be used for the new electric power-house.

GIGANTIC SALE!

Beginning Wednesday, March 8, at 9 a. m.

LOEB BROS., Marceline, Mo.

Greatest Dry Goods Store. Entire stock, consisting of \$25,000 worth of Tailor-Made Clothing, Dry Goods, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Shoes and Carpets

to be sold in 10 days at Loeb Bros.,
Marceline, Missouri.

Loeb Bros., Dry Goods and Clothing Store. Marceline's greatest Dry Goods and Clothier, entire stock, consisting of \$25,000 worth of Dry Goods, Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Shoes and Carpets to be sold in ten days.

Save this and wait until Wednesday, March 8, at 9 a. m.

The entire stock will be sold at 33 per cent less than the cost of raw material. Owing to the backward season and disastrous weather conditions we find an enormous stock of High Grade Tailor-Made Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats, Furnishing Goods, and Shoes on hand, with the greater part of the season gone, we concluded to sell our entire stock, and our \$25,000 stock will be distributed into the homes of the people for less than the actual cost of the raw material. To be sold in ten days at Loeb Bros., Marceline, Mo. The building is closed now to re-mark and re-arrange the goods, and will remain closed until Wednesday, March 8, at 9 a. m., when the World's Greatest Dry Goods, Clothing Sale Begins. Everything will be sold exactly as advertised, and every quotation herein mentioned is absolutely correct, and we merely ask you to come and test our statements.

Dry Goods.

Don't fail to see our immense collection of Draperies 46-in Black and Lustrous Brilliantine, actual value, \$1, sale price, .48

34-in Scotch Mixed Suitings for tailor made, regular price 50c, this sale price, .49

Dress Madras Cloth checked, per yard, .04

Novelty Dimities, extra fine quality, per yard, .07 1/2

Taffeta Silk, all colors, per yard, .49

Double width Novelty Check Spring Dress Goods, per yard, .14

Fine imp. Henrietta Dress Goods 45 in. per yard, .40

Black Figured Brilliantine, very fine, per yard, .27

At less than actual cost of labor, letting material entirely out of the question.

Heavy Comforts, filled with best cotton, so soft and pleasant to the touch, quilted, knotted with worsted, worth \$1.50 at, .78

Suits.

A Fine Suit of Men's Clothes, all to match, \$2.98

This suit is positively worth \$6.50 or your money refunded during the sale.

Men's fine suits in Cheviots and Scotch plaids, \$4.98

Worth \$10 or your money refunded at any time during the sale if you are not satisfied.

Men's splendid Suits in Velour finished Cassimere, all sizes, \$5.85

This suit is worth \$13 or your money back.

Silk and Satin Lined Dress Suits in Plain Checks and Stripes, \$7.48

This suit is positively worth \$16.50.

Men's Fine Dress Pants, worth \$2 or your money refunded, .98

1,000 pairs Boys' Knee Pants, worth 50c, at, .19

Rich in style, highest qualities, high grade Overcoats in gray, tan, Oxford and several other shades, some heavy silk lined, made by high class wholesale tailors. These coats are worth from \$10 to \$25. Price, \$2.98 to \$8.98. Don't fail to ask to see these garments.

Spring Overcoats.

Rich in style, highest qualities, high grade Overcoats in Gray, Oxford, Tan and several other shades, some heavy silk lined; made by high class wholesale tailors. These coats are worth from \$10 to \$25. Price \$2.98 to \$9.98. Don't fail to see these garments.

CARPETS.

A tremendous drive in Carpet remnants. We do not believe you have seen better values quoted anywhere on earth.

Bigelow Axminsters, which sold for \$2.25, several remnants at 98c.

Royal Wilton Velvets, worth \$1.50, at 98c.

Extra Velvets and Axminsters at 78c.

Good Tapestry Brussels and Velvets at 62, 67 and 73c.

In the regular stock there are the same remarkable reductions. This whole section is helping immensely to bear out our assertion, often repeated, that this is the BIG SALE.

Good grades Tapestry Brussels, regularly 60c, 65c and 70c, are now marked 47c, 49c and 57c.

Velvets \$1 and \$1.25 values for 89c and 73c.

Royal Wilton Velvets at \$1.37.

All Wool Ingrains at 68c and 62c.

Remember the day and date, Wednesday, March 8, at 9 a. m. at Loeb Bros.' Dry Goods and Clothing Store, Marceline, Mo. No goods sold and no one allowed in the building until Wednesday, March 8. We hereby agree to refund the money if all goods priced above are not satisfactory to the purchaser during the sale.

LOEB BROS., MARCELINE, MISSOURI.

N. B. Railroad fares paid to purchasers of \$20 and over for a radius of twenty miles.

Men's Finest Summer and Winter Underwear at less than cost of production.

Men's best quality Heavy Working Shirts, .39

Boys' Suits, worth \$2, at, .98

100 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants at, .39

Fine Dress Shirts, worth \$1 at, .38

Men's Hats, the latest Dunlap and Knox shapes, worth \$2, and none less than \$1.50, at, .98

A few hundred Boys' Hats and Caps, worth \$1, at, .19

Men's Fine Silk Embroidered Suspenders, at, .09

Good Heavy Socks, .05

Over 500 Neckties in all shades worth from 50c to 75c, .19

Men's Handkerchiefs, .03

Odd Coats, odd Vests and Mackintoshes at your own price.

1,000 pairs of Overalls, worth 75c, at, .39

1,000 other articles too numerous to mention.

Ladies'-SHOES-Men's

Almost given away. An enormous stock of fine Shoes at the mercy of the public. The greatest shoe values on earth and all to go at less than actual cost of labor and make.

A good Union Ingrain at 48c.
The Sanitary Cottage Carpeting at 23c and 48c
Hemp Matting at 29c.

RUGS! RUGS! RUGS!

Carpet sample, 11-14 yards length, already bound; a fine lot, all at uniform price of 98c, including Velvets and Savonneries that were up to \$2 per yard.

58c for a Smyrna Door Mat.

98c for an Utopia Axminster Door Mat.

\$1.63 for fine Smyrna Rug, 26x54.

\$1.88 for fine Smyrna Rug, 30x60.

\$2.19 for fine Smyrna Rug, 36x63.

\$4.98 for an elegant Wilton Velvet Art Nouveaux patterns, regularly \$7.

\$7.85 for a 9x12 Brussels Rug—a whole carpet for a small price.

Blacksmith Wanted.

Wanted at Craneville, a blacksmith, a young man preferred. Must be of sober and industrious habits. A large field to get work from. Shop and tools furnished if desired. Apply to COLEMAN & SHARON, Craneville, Mo.

Low Rates.

One-way second-class colonist fare to California points \$28.05 and to points West and North-west at correspondingly low rates from March 1 to May 15.

H. S. BANE, Agent,
Keytesville, Mo.

Notice.

The 80-acre farm, owned by the estate of the late Herman Kothe, near Forest Green, was sold by Sheriff S. J. Shaughnessy at a trustee's sale by sheriff yesterday morning and was bought in by Louis Freese for \$760.77 for his mother-in-law, Mrs. Ernestine Kothe, who is Herman Kothe's widow.

Read our trade edition.

All parties having claims against the city of Keytesville, and who desire to have them credited on their taxes, will please present them at the meeting of the city council next Monday night, March 6.

P. R. O'BRYAN,
Collector.

Garden tools at Holcomb's at bottom prices,

We regret to learn that Mrs. W. A. Friesz of 11-14 miles west of Keytesville was thrown from her buggy while driving into town Tuesday afternoon and had her right wrist broken, an ankle slightly injured and received a few bruises about the body. The accident was caused by Mrs. Friesz' horse becoming frightened at the ice and foam in the Mussel Fork just as she was driving up on the west approach of the bridge. The necessary medical attention was given by Dr. I. Knott, Jr., and the patient is now getting along nicely.

L. H. Applegate, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Applegate of Keytesville, left for St. Louis Sunday to accept a position as traveling salesman for the Friedman Bros.' Shoe Co. of that city. Harry's territory will be in North Missouri. He is thoroughly conversant with the shoe business and will, we predict, do faithful work for the firm he represents.

Attorney J. A. Collet went to Sumner yesterday morning to appear for John Boley in a forcible entry and detainer case.

County court meets next Monday for the purpose of making final settlement with the various township collectors.

Iron, rubber and junk of all kinds wanted at R. J. Halley's. Highest market price in trade.